

LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Columbia-Guy Standing in "Confusion," 8:15 p.m.
 Foxville Run-Luna Park, a fairyland of amusements, 7 p.m.
 Chevy Chase Lake-Marine Band concert, followed by dancing.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Trains leave District line station for Fort Monroe, Norfolk and all points south every day in the year at 6:30 p.m.
 Electric trains from 12th street and Pennsylvania avenue for Mount Vernon hourly, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Arlington and Alexandria every twenty minutes.
 Steamer Jamestown for the forty-mile trip down the Potomac leaves wharf at 7 p.m.
 Cars from station at Aqueduct bridge for Arlington, Fort Myer and Falls Church half hourly.
 Kensington Railway Company station, Chevy Chase Lake; cars from Chevy Chase Lake to Kensington, Md., every half hour.
 Ferry steamers Woodbury and Callahan to Alexandria half hourly from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Thereafter hourly until 10 p.m.
 Steamer Charles Macalester for Marshall Hall leaves wharf at 10 a.m., 2:30 and 6:30 p.m.
 Steamer Queen Anne leaves 7th street wharf for River View at 10 a.m., 2:30 and 6:45 p.m.
 Steamers of the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company for Baltimore leave wharf at 4 p.m., as per schedule.
 Steamer Charles Macalester for Mount Vernon leaves 7th street wharf at 10 a.m., 2:30 and 6:30 p.m.
 Steamer St. Johns for Colonial Beach leaves 7th street wharf at 8:45 a.m.

Winning Lots of New Patrons

by our method of laundering Turn-over Collars.
 Tolman Laundry, 6th and C sts.

Chris. Xander's Pride of Virginia Port helps convalescents recover their health and strength. 75c. qt. Only at 400 7th st.

Let the Folks at Home

have "Old Glory" to drink these hot enervating days. It's a fine tonic as well as a delicious thirst-satisfier. For case write or phone W. 436, Abner-Dwight Brewing Co.

B. Dazanski, whose home is at 1633 East Fayette street, Baltimore, fell and broke his nose while alighting from a street car at the Baltimore and Ohio depot last night about 10 o'clock. His injury was treated at a drug store by Dr. C. W. Nelson, after which the visitor boarded a train to go home.

Your Choice of 60c. Candies, 35c. Lb. 100 varieties. GEO. B. SHEETZ, 7 & 10th.

Suggestions for Summer Menus.

If you'd insure tempting menue-making for your table supplied by T. T. KEANE CO., Stalls 34-51 Cent. Mkt. and 9 Wholesale Cream and produce with the fresh displays of their choice Washington-dressed Beef, Veal, Southdown Lamb and other products invited. You'll find prices and service equally satisfactory. Two phones.

The Health of Your Children will be much benefited by adding Schneiders "Malt" Bread to their daily diet. It's rich in nutritive properties, satisfying and appetizing. Order it. All good grocers.

Ask Your Doctor.
 New Standard Dairy Milk is the best to feed the baby. 1333 14th. Phone North 183.

Robert Belt, forty-two years of age, residing at 1613 Benning road, engaged in a wrestling match with a friend while near Benning bridge yesterday afternoon about 6 o'clock, and sustained a serious injury to his leg. He was taken to the Casualty Hospital, where the surgeons found that two bones had been fractured.

Brown & Tolson, Auctioneers, 1409 H St. n.w. Regular furniture sale Tuesday, 10 a.m.

Jno. R. Kelly, Center Mkt., 9th St. Wing N. Y. Roast Beef. Corned Beef a specialty.

12 & G. C. A. Muddiman & Co. G & 12. Chicago-Jewel Gas Ranges always best.

Only \$1.00 Gal., 50c. One-Half Gal., for Reisinger's Ice Cream. Our Strawberry and Peach Cream are made with the finest fruit. Orders for earlier than 3 o'clock delivery Sunday must be in by 10:30 p.m. Saturday. 255 G street. Phone M-2767.

Try a Salt Air Trip to Baltimore. Palatial steamers. Electric lighted. Unexcelled cuisine. See excursions.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

James Mulhall, residing at 529 5th street northeast, was treated at the Emergency Hospital last night for a painful cut over his right eye. The police report that he received the hurt while engaged in an altercation with another man near 12th and B streets.

A number of persons who were passengers on a street car at 1st and D streets last night about 9 o'clock were made uneasy by the sight of one of the passengers falling as he was stepping from the vehicle. The man was George A. Schaffer, fifty-nine years of age, whose home is at 11 N street northeast. He arose, brushed the dust from his clothes and said he had received no injury.

C. & S. Famous Velvet Kind Wins favor with lovers of Ice Cream. Drugists. Advertisement.

Elks Go Down the River. Members and friends of Washington Lodge No. 15, B. P. O. Elks, participated in an excursion Saturday to River View for a day's outing. Ideal weather conditions favored the party, and all entered into the spirit of the outing with hearty enthusiasm. The steamer Queen Anne, after landing at the excursionist wharf, continued with many of the excursionists to the Indian Head. The committee in charge of the affair worked hard to make it a success, and the result was that all of the party voted the affair one of the most pleasant occasions of the kind ever given by the organization.

Want to Be Meat Inspectors. Up to date over 300 applications have been received by the civil service commission for the examinations for meat inspectors, to be made on the 21st instant. Four hundred appointments are to be made.

Golden Rod Hams and Bacon and Golden Leaf Lard. Excellent home products, prepared by home labor in a home abattoir. They're the finest quality. Golden & Co. Wholesalers only. Adv.

Death of Louis H. Breyer. Louis H. Breyer of 62 Rhode Island avenue died yesterday morning after a lingering illness. Mr. Breyer had been in ill health for the past two years and his death was not unexpected. He was a native of Baltimore, but came to this city seven years ago to accept a position under the government, which he held to the time of his death. His wife and two daughters, Stella Breyer and Katharine E. Barker, survive him.

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Store Your Furniture, Pianos, Etc., in the modern fireproof warehouses of Terminal Storage Co., formerly storage dept. of Union Trust Co., main office, 1414 F st. Advertisement.

DR. THIRKIELD HERE. New President of Howard University Visits the City.

Dr. Wilbur P. Thirkield, president-elect of Howard University, is at the Raleigh. He has been in the city for several days conferring with heads of departments of the university preparatory to beginning his duties in September. He retains his position as one of the general officers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, but was released from the secretaryship of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society at the meeting of the board of managers of the 10th instant. A committee consisting of Bishop Luther B. Wilson, Bishop Walden and Bishop Spangler offered a series of resolutions of appreciation of the long and successful services of Dr. Thirkield, who is closing twenty-three years of service in the educational work of the society, which maintains forty-three institutions for the white and colored peoples in the south, with more than 600 teachers and 12,000 students the past year.

The total budget for the past four years of Dr. Thirkield's secretaryship has been more than two million dollars, not including the excess of the previous four years. The conference collections as shown by the annual report are this year in excess of any previous year in the history of the society.

Dr. Thirkield will be in the east for several days, completing the endowment of the school of divinity at the University of Chicago, which is their central university for white students in the central south. His family are at their summer cottage on Lake Michigan, and will arrive in this city about the middle of September.

Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in Washington, D. C., week ending July 14, averaged 7,000 cases per pound. Advertisement.

RAIDED BY POLICE. Arrest of Twelve Persons in Alleged Disorderly House.

A group of policemen of the sixth precinct, lead by Lieut. Hodges, raided the house occupied by James H. Dawson and James H. Ellis at 483 Missouri street, last night. The police found twelve persons in the house, all of whom were charged with keeping a disorderly house, and when they were arraigned in the Police Court this morning they demanded jury trials. Ellis was released under \$250 bond for his appearance in court, while Dawson, in default of bond, was ordered committed to jail. The other ten persons arrested were charged with violating the Edmunds law.

If you want to sell your old desk an "ad." in The Star Misc. column will do it. Try it.

FUNERAL OF MRS. M. A. SHEA. Remains Interred in Mount Olivet This Morning.

Funeral services were held this morning at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart over the remains of the late Mrs. Mary A. Shea, a resident of this city for more than half a century.

After a short service at the Shea home on Fairmont street at 9:15 o'clock, funeral mass was said at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart by Rev. Joseph F. McDev, the pastor. A special musical program was rendered by a trio consisting of Bernard Ryan, director of the church; Miss Mabel Lettmer and Miss May King. Father McDev preached the funeral sermon, paying a tribute to the deceased.

The pallbearers, selected from among relatives and personal friends, were Messrs. James F. Shea, William Corcoran, John McDev, and John DeLoach. The interment was in Mount Olivet cemetery.

V. Baldwin Johnson's Coal, 612 9th St. All anthracite coal summer prices. Adv.

IMPROVEMENT NOTED. Condition of James Campbell, Wounded Saturday.

Physicians at the Emergency Hospital said this morning that there had been a change for the better in the condition of James Campbell, the carpenter who was so seriously wounded about 12 o'clock Saturday night in front of a pool room on 7th street southwest. His condition yesterday morning was so serious that the hospital authorities thought it was doubtful if he would recover, but they now believe that he will.

Forrest Buck, the young man who is alleged to have inflicted the wounds, has not yet been apprehended. Detectives and policemen are searching for him since a short time after the cutting. Buck, it is stated, formerly lived in Virginia.

DEATH RESULTS. Isaac T. Tucker Passes Away at Casualty Hospital.

Isaac T. Tucker, who was made ill a week ago by inhaling illuminating gas in his home, 115 11th street northeast, died at the Casualty Hospital yesterday morning about 4 o'clock. The deceased was fifty-one years of age and was a son of S. W. and the late Mary V. Tucker. He was a printer and in government employ.

At the time Mr. Tucker accidentally let the gas turn on in his room and was taken to the hospital he was in the incipient stage of typhoid fever, and the physicians think the accident was the result of his physical condition. Arrangements have been made for the funeral to occur from his late home tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The remains will be interred in Glenwood.

Anacostia and Vicinity. Mr. Sewell Fort has awarded a contract for the erection of a brick dwelling on Grant street.

Two local Sunday schools have arranged to hold outings for their respective members the 24th instant. The Methodists of Anacostia will that day go to Chesapeake Beach and the members of the Anacostia Baptist Church will accompany their Sunday school pupils to Glenwood.

Miss Edna Cookman will depart this week for a visit to friends in Richmond and Washington.

The members of the choir of the Anacostia Baptist Church have planned an outing Friday evening down the Potomac river.

GRANTED MORE TIME

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION COMMITTEE NOT READY.

Brief Meeting Today—Candidates for Appointment as Superintendent of Schools.

An adjourned meeting of the board of education was held at 10 o'clock this morning in the Franklin School building. No action was taken in the matter of the selection of a new superintendent of schools beyond continuing the time for the submission of the report of the special committee consisting of Prof. B. W. Everman, W. V. Cox and John F. Cook, charged with the duty of making a recommendation. No other business was transacted.

Those present at the meeting were Prof. Everman, vice president of the board, who presided in the absence of Admiral George W. Baird, who is in Saratoga, N. Y.; Mr. Cox, Mr. Cook, James F. Oyster, O. M. Alwood and Mrs. J. R. Hill. Mrs. Mary

Askins and Prettyman are occupants of adjoining cots when Detective Warren went to the hospital to interview them. Prettyman was suffering from a severe wound in his stomach and leg, and his condition had but little hope for his recovery. Askins was not seriously wounded and the surgeons permitted the officers to take him home.

Inspector Boardman notified the Maryland authorities of the death of the colored man yesterday and at 400 7th st. was taken to Rockville. It is thought that the inquest will be held at Rockville Wednesday.

5-lb. Boxes Finest Elgin Butter, \$1.40. "Four-Leaf Clover" Creamery Butter is Elgin's finest product. 5-lb. boxes of this delicious butter, \$1.40, at James F. Oyster's, 9th and Pa. ave. Phone Main 4820. Adv.

NEW MAIL SERVICE. For Daily Postal Communication With Colonial Beach.

The post office authorities, it is stated, are arranging for a special mail service during the summer months between this city and Colonial Beach to supplement the service now in operation by way of Fredericksburg. This service is daily, the mail being delivered to a carrier at Fredericksburg who takes it over the road to Colonial Beach, stopping at a dozen or more points en route. It is proposed to have a daily mail service by steamer, the pouches leaving here every morning except Monday and Saturday, and on those days in the afternoon. This mail would be delivered at the beach within five hours after it leaves this city. This arrangement would be a great convenience to the hundreds of persons from this city who spend their vacations at Colonial Beach, as it would enable them to hear from home and to send letters home daily. This would be practically the same as the service that was arranged for the beach last summer through the efforts of The Star.

A Discount of 25 Per Cent on Floral Designs. Blackstone's, 14th & H. Advertisement.

FAREWELL SERVICES. Officials of Homeward Bound Mission Going to Florida.

Farewell services to Col. and Mrs. Johnson were held last evening at the Homeward Bound Mission, 119 Pennsylvania avenue. The meeting was presided over by Commander James Haslam who stated that Col. Johnson and his wife were going to Florida to open a branch mission. The program included congregational singing, prayer by Major Kenan of Baltimore, solo "We Will Never Say Good-Bye," by Lieut. Nellie Haslam; address by Capt. Theodore Valiant, who said he beseeched the parting ones to pray without ceasing for an outpouring of the holy spirit in their work among "the palms of the sunny south."

Miss Katie Wells sang a solo and Col. and Mrs. Johnson gave their farewell addresses. The closing lesson was by Mr. Haslam. The afternoon service was led by Miss Katie Wells. It was stated that Col. and Mrs. Johnson and Lieut. Grace Miller will depart today for Jacksonville, Fla.

Best From Every Standpoint. C. & S. Pure Cream Ice Cream. Drugists. Advertisement.

Personal to River Men. Capt. Jeff Posey, pilot of the steamer Harry Randall, has been confined to his home in this city for several days past by sickness. During his absence Capt. Jim Baker has been acting as pilot of the steamer.

Mr. Richard Latham of Alexandria has been appointed an assistant to Engineer Charley Kersey of the steamer Randall, and has been placed in charge of the electric lighting plant on the steamer.

Mr. John Martin and family are at their cottage at Colonial Beach, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Harrison Dodge, superintendent at Mount Vernon, is a guest of Capt. Babbitt on the schooner Mount Hope on a trip from Baltimore to Bath, Me. The Mount Hope sailed from Baltimore yesterday.

Expert Pie-Makers and the best materials make Connecticut Pies generously delicious. All grocers. Adv.

Confederate Reunion at Luray, Va. Rosser-Gibson's Camp of Confederate Veterans of Page county, Va., will hold its annual reunion at Luray Saturday next, and many old soldiers, both confederate and federal, are expected to take part in the exercises. The confederate organizations of Page county will entertain all the veterans at a dinner. There will be a parade, in which the military and fire companies from the towns about Luray will take part, and addresses will be delivered by William Harrison, former governor of Virginia; "Cyclone" Jim Marshall and others. The reunion will be held on the grounds of the Luray Inn, and will be a gala event for the Valley of Virginia. It is the largest gathering of veterans from this city will attend the reunion.

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